

The American School of Recife



We are an American Overseas School that offers exemplary United States and Brazilian accredited programs in a welcoming English language setting where each individual matters. Our mission is to develop critical thinkers and lifelong learners with an international perspective, empowered to become informed, responsible world citizens.

History

Established in 1957

Private, co-educational, day school

Accreditation

Cognia-AdvancED

State of Pernambuco Ministry of Education (SEDUC)

Membership

Association of American Schools in Brazil (AASB)

Association of American Schools in South American (AASSA)

Association for the Advancement of International Education (AAIE)

School Calendar

First Semester: August to mid-December

Second Semester: late-January to mid-June

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Demographics

Entire School

593 students enrolled
Nursery to Grade 12

Secondary School

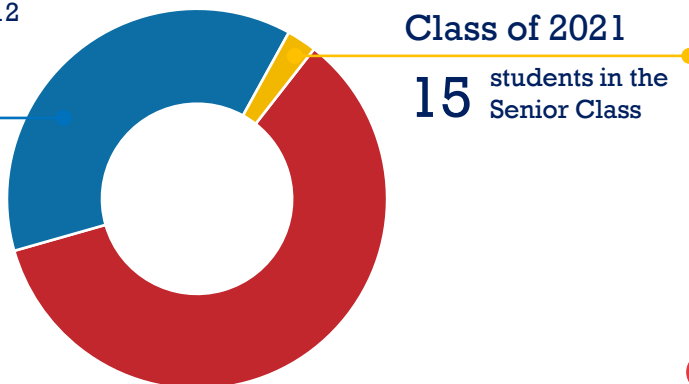
237 students enrolled
Grade 6 to 12

Nationalities

 86%

 4%

 10% other nationalities

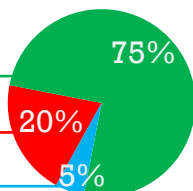


Faculty

 51

 14

 3



9:1

Student-to-Teacher Ratio


74%

Of the faculty hold advanced degrees or post-graduate certificate.

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Academics

EAR does not rank

Elective courses are listed on the transcript but are not calculated into the GPA.

Only grades from core classes, including Portuguese/ PLL, taught five days each week and P.E. are computed in GPA.

Only courses taken at EAR, grades 9-12, are calculated into GPA

GPA is not weighted

GPA 3.02

Class of 2020 Range 2.00-3.99

Grade	Value	Points
A	90-100	4.0
B	80-89	3.0
C	70-79	2.0
D	65-69	1.0
F	0-64	0



American Diploma

English/ ELL	4 credits
Social Studies	4 credits
Mathematics	3 credits
Science	3 credits
Physical Education	2 credits
Portuguese/ PLL	Each year
Electives	5 credits



Brazilian Diploma

Portuguese	Each year
Brazilian History & Geography	Each year
Philosophy & Sociology	Gr. 10-12
Math	Each year
Science	Each year
Art History	One course

All students complete the American diploma. All Brazilian citizens complete the Brazilian diploma.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) COURSE OFFERINGS

Calculus AB/BC	French Language & Culture	Spanish Language & Culture
Chemistry	Human Geography	Capstone Seminar
Computer Science A	Physics	Capstone Research
Computer Science Principles	Biology	World History
English Language & Composition	Studio Art	2D/3D Design

Advanced Placement Exams

In 2020, 39 students took 71 exams and 87% of AP students earned a qualified score or above.

AP Capstone Diploma

The American School of Recife offers the distinguished AP Capstone Diploma to qualified students for completing six AP courses and exams with a qualified score or above including the AP Seminar & Research.

The class of 2020 had two students earn the AP Capstone Diploma.



CLASS OF 2020

World Average:	21	World Average	EBRW: 533	Math: 527
EAR Average	26.9	EAR Average	EBRW: 592	Math: 601





North America

Bemidji State University
Boston University (2)
Brigham Young University
Columbia University
Drexel University (2)
Emory University (2)
Flagler College
Florida International University (2)
Georgia Institute of Technology
Hult International Business School (4)
Illinois Institute of Technology
Manhattan College
McGill University
Mills College
New York University (2)
Northeastern University
Purdue University
Roger Williams University
San Diego State University
Savannah College of Art & Design
Stetson University (2)
Pace University New York City (2)
The University of Findlay
University at Buffalo (SUNY)
University of Florida
University of Findlay
University of La Verne
University of Miami (2)
University of Minnesota Twin Cities
University of New Brunswick (2)
University of North Florida
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (2)
University of Notre Dame
University of Pennsylvania
University of Winnipeg
University of Wisconsin - Madison
Worcester Polytechnic Institute (5)



Brazil

Escola Superior de Publicidade e Marketing
Universidade Católica de Pernambuco
Universidade Federal do Paraná
Universidade Federal de Pernambuco
Universidade Federal Rural de Pernambuco



Europe

Erasmus University Rotterdam (Netherlands)
Maastricht University (Netherlands)
Universidade de Coimbra
Paris School of Business (France)



Middle East

Georgetown University School of Foreign Service (Qatar)
New York University Abu Dhabi (United Arab Emirate)



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